alternate year thereafter, elect by ballot one citizen for Burgess and one citizen for Assistant Burgess of said town, both of whom shall be citizens of the United States and five years residents of said town next preceding the election, and at least twenty-five years of age; they shall take the oath of office as hereinafter prescribed for town officers, and remain in office until their successors are elected and qualified.

Approved March 14th, 1922.

CHAPTER 41.

An Act to authorize and direct the County Commissioners of Queen Anne's County, Maryland, to borrow the sum of thirty-three thousand dollars (\$33,000.00) on the credit of said county for the purpose of paying the deficiency now existing and due by the Board of Education for Queen Anne's County and to issue bonds therefor, and to levy on the assessable property in Queen Anne's County an annual tax sufficient to pay said bonds as they mature, and to pay the interest thereon as it becomes due.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That for the purpose aforesaid the County Commissioners of Queen Anne's County are hereby authorized, empowered and directed to borrow on the credit of said county the sum of thirty-three thousand dollars (\$33,000.0), and to issue bonds or coupon bonds therefor in the sum of one thousand dollars each, to be signed by the President of the Board of County Commissioners, to be attested by the Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners, and to have the corporate seal of said County Commissioners affixed thereto, bearing interest not exceeding five and one-half per centum, in the discretion of the County Commissioners for Queen Anne's County, payable semi-annually on the first day of January and the first day of July in each and every year thereafter until the same are paid.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That the proceeds of the sale of said thirty-three thousand dollars (\$33,000.00), worth (par value) of said bonds, shall be paid over to the Board of Education for Queen Anne's County, and shall be applied by the said Board of Education for Queen Anne's County to paying the deficiency existing in running the schools of said county as of July thirty-first, nineteen hundred and twenty-one.